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Title of Application:

System and Method for Multi-Link Communication in Home Network

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- 1 Page(s) Transmittal (plus one copy)
- 22 Page(s) Specification, claims, abstract
- 6 Page(s) Drawings
- 3 Page(s) Declaration and Power of Attorney
- 3 Page(s) Assignment and Assignment Recordation Sheet
- 2 Page(s) IDS and Form PTO-1449
- 18 References as cited
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Fee Calculation

	Claims Filed		Extra	Rate	Fees
Basic Fee					\$770.00
Total Claims	25	- 20 =	5	× \$18	90.00
Independent Claims	3	- 3 =	0	× \$86	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$280	
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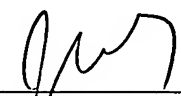
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